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NOTICE.

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All persons indebted to the Estate of the said deceased are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith, and all persons having claims against the said Estate are requested to send particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the 29th day of October, 1888.

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Baptist Home Missions — Great Excitement in Winnipeg—Troops in Readiness.

An Arrest in Connection with the Poisoning Case—A New Bishop, Etc.

[Special to The Times.]

St. Catherines, Oct. 22—At the convention of Baptists of Ontario and Quebec, in session here, the report of the Dominion Board of Home Missions was presented by Rev. Prof. McGregor. Rev. Joshua Donovan moved a resolution to the effect that as the Manitoba Convention had deemed it wise to retire from the constituency of the Dominion Board, we respectfully propose that the Dominion Board be formally dissolved by the Convention of Ontario, and that the responsibility pertaining to the Baptist cause in the city of Vancouver henceforth be accepted by the home missionary secretary of Ontario and Quebec. The resolution carried.

Montreal, Oct. 22—Damien St. Jacques, bailiff and collector, has skipped to St. Albans, Vt., taking away with him a large sum of money, property of his patrons.

Toronto, Oct. 22—The first death from smallpox occurred on Saturday, a young man named Woods being the victim.

The mother of Hon. Wm. McDougall died yesterday, aged 84 years.

Ottawa, Oct. 22—An attempt was made to sandbag C. W. Mitchell of the *Free Press* last evening while on his way home. The object is supposed to have been robbery.

Quebec, Oct. 22—Abbe Reginbeau has been promoted to the Bishopric of Chicontime.

Thorold, Oct. 22—Miss Hannah Bond was arrested here to-day in connection with the Galt poisoning case, which resulted in the death of Nella Cherry. She formerly lived in Galt.

MANITOBA.

Excitement About Railway Matters—A Collision Expected.

[Special to The Times.]

Winnipeg, Oct. 22—There was great excitement in the city on Saturday over the railway trouble. Two hundred citizens were sworn in as special constables to aid the Northern Pacific track-layers to make a crossing, and proceeded to the scene of the trouble, but their services were not required owing to the track-layers being delayed in the work. The Canadian Pacific has 150 men guarding the crossing and declare they will resist any attempt to remove their property. It is expected the citizens will turn out *en masse* to-day and back up the Northern Pacific. Trouble is feared and mounted infantry have been ordered to hold themselves in readiness. An Ottawa dispatch says the Government have wired the authorities in Winnipeg to proceed with the utmost caution. Sir John and the other Ministers were earnestly discussing the matter at midnight.

New freight rates by the Northern Pacific are announced. They are considerably below the Canadian Pacific and Manitoba.

It is reported now that Jim Hill intends extending his system to connect Winnipeg with New York.

MOODY'S MEETINGS.

D. L. Moody on Sunday—Large Crowds Hear the Evangelist.

The Meetings of Mr. Moody at the Roller Rink and Pandora Methodist Church continue to attract vast crowds of eager listeners. The morning meeting at 9:30 o'clock found the large Pandora street church full to overflowing. The afternoon 4 o'clock services at the rink commanded the usual large attendance. At the evening service at 8 o'clock there were thousands inside while hundreds had to return disappointed from the doors, being unable to obtain admittance. After the usual preliminary devotion and singing, Mr. Moody addressed the large concourse assembled in his usual forcible way. He took for his theme the guests' bidden to the marriage feast. By a series of commonplace anecdotes he illustrated his subject, so as to bring the idea intended to be conveyed clear to the minds of all present. One illustration, especially, which told in meetings in London years ago, was that of the soldier before he donned the uniform and the transformation effected in the man by the wearing of it. Another was that of a painter who searched throughout the slums of a city in order to secure a beggar as a model for a picture. He found one and desired him to call next day. The beggar came, not in his rags, but in other dress. The painter didn't know him and when he found out who he was, told him indignantly he didn't want him as he was. What he wanted was the rags. So it is, "sinners must come to the Lord, just as they are, without one plea," and rely on him to receive them and put on the marriage garment. All had invitations to come to the feast prepared; there is no use in sending excuses such as described in the parable of the feast. There should be no excuse in responding to the invitation of the Lord. It was a standing invitation, and was tendered even now to those willing to accept it. Is there any present who will stand up for the Lord? Here about fifty of the congregation responded to the call. Some hundreds sought the consolation of the enquiry room. The services were brought to a close by singing and prayer, and pronouncing of the benediction.

Mr. Moody announced that he would continue the meetings every evening in the rink at 8 o'clock, and at Pandora street church for gospel lessons at ten o'clock every morning during the coming week. The present course of lectures will be brought to a close by a meeting at the rink at 8 o'clock on Friday evening. The city ministers will, it is understood, continue the services. The people seem to have been awakened so that the good work will be continued after Mr. Moody leaves. Choir practice at the rink at 7:30.

MRS. SAMSON REPLIES.

To the Editor of the Times:

Sir,—The scurrilous and vulgar tissue of falsehoods contained in this evening's edition of your paper purporting to be a report of an interview between Mrs. F. M. Samson and your reporter, which you endorse in publishing, is a disgrace to the entire press of the civilized world.

Mrs. F. M. Samson,

Victoria, Oct. 20.

—The steamer Nell will leave this evening for Skeena river and Alert Bay.

UP COUNTRY NEWS.

Mining Information—Cariboo Hunting—B. C. Horses.

From the Inland Sentinel.]

In August last Archie McMurno bonded two claims near Donald to John Hepburn. During the same month Lowe and Dainard, who had several locations in the district, succeeded through George McCabe in getting a Calgary company to take hold and develop the Monitor claim for a two thirds interest in it. A tunnel was run in 82 feet to the ledge and two open cuts made. This work proved that the ledge carried four feet of solid ore, which goes as high as $100 in silver and $8 in gold to the ton, besides carrying a good percentage of lead. Some fine specimens also show grey copper.

Some time ago *Truth* made mention of the discovery of slate near Golden. This week specimens of the slate were brought to Donald. It is blue black in color, smooth of surface, hard to break, and of good grain. It is undoubtedly an excellent roofing slate. The discoverer of the ledge states that slabs of any desired size such as beds for billiard tables, mantles, flagging, etc., can be taken out. The ledge is located near the C. P. R. track, 6½ miles east of Golden, and is owned by Walter Hogg, of that place.

A month ago a new find was made about 40 miles below Revelstoke. The ledge is over 15 feet in width, and carries gold and silver in galena—assay returns give $38 to $80 in silver, $2 to $3 in gold to the ton, and 40 per cent. lead. The camp is easily accessible, as the claim stakes are within a few feet of navigable water on the northeast arm of Upper Arrow lake. The owners, Messrs. Walker, Hill, Graham, McDonald and Delaney, are doing development work.

Hon. John Montague, (who is accompanied by Viscount Enniscourt), purchased Captain Short's Fallbrook ranch, west side of Okanagan Lake, and expects to utilize the large cattle range in the vicinity. We trust to hear before long that the west side of the lake will have more actual settlers, instead of giving up extensive districts to any noble gentleman, come from where he may. Too much of that already.

Some weeks ago a Mr. Granville arrived from England and engaged Enos McDougall as a guide to the hunting grounds of Kettle river. Returning on Thursday to Vernon they packed upon their cayuses the skins and horns of six cariboo. Recently Rev. Mr. Jaffery, Messrs. Ellison and Vail, with an Indian guide spent a week at Kettle river hunting ground and shot seven cariboo, bringing home some of the finest horns and skins we have seen.

Thousands of bushels of the finest grain in the world is now awaiting a market in the Spallumcheen and Okanagan districts. With a healthy competition among buyers these districts would produce enormous crops.

We learn that Mr. S. Gibbs, the manager of the mill property of Rithet & Co., gives proof that his popularity will be lasting, while Captain D. G. Cumming, of the "Red Star," plying between Enderby and Sicamous, is energetic and will give general satisfaction.

Leo Wah, a prominent Chinese business man, committed suicide on Oct. 13th by taking an overdose of opium.

An At Home was held at the residence of Rev. Mr. Ladner's, Church street, Kamloops, on Tuesday evening. Mrs. A. J. Clyde took a prominent part in the entertainment.

Mr. Robert Scott, of Nicola, who recently shipped twenty horses to Owen Sound for the livery business of his son, Mr. W. A. Scott, has received word from his son, Mr. R. J. Scott, that he competed very successfully at the South Grey Exhibition, held in Durham, taking the first prize in the General Purpose Saddle Horse Class. In the Ladies Saddle Horse Class, the first prize for horse and rider and the second prize for horse and driver were awarded to Miss Bella Scott, of Nicola, who was visiting in the east. Successful exhibitions of riding British Columbia wild horses were given by Mr. R. J. Scott during the Agricultural Exhibition. The horses shipped by Mr. Scott were general purpose, carriage and saddle, including four matched teams of sorrels.

LAID AT REST.

Funeral of Ex-Chief Engineer Chas. John Phillips.

The mortal remains of the late C. J. Phillips, ex-Chief of the Fire Department were consigned to their last resting place on Sunday. The fire department met at the Deluge engine house at 1:30 o'clock on Sunday afternoon and were joined by C Battery Band and the Ancient Order of Foresters. The procession then moved to the late residence of the deceased where the firemen and Foresters took a last look at the face of the departed Chief and brother. Shortly after 2 o'clock the casket, covered with beautiful wreaths and crosses of flowers, was placed on the Deluge hose carriage, which was appropriately draped. The procession then re-formed and slowly wended its way to Christ Church Cathedral, the band playing the Dead March in Saul and the engine houses and church bells tolling. The order of procession was: Courts Vancouver and Northern Light A. O. F., Volunteer Fire Department, C. Battery band, paid firemen in uniform drawing the hose carriage, carriages containing relatives and friends. When the sad cortege arrived at Christ Church Cathedral the choristers sang an appropriate funeral hymn. Rev. Mr. Beanlands read the solemn services for the dead and at the conclusion of the ceremony the congregation sang "Nearer My God to Thee." The casket was then born from the Cathedral, the organ pealing forth the death march in Saul. From the Cathedral the cortege proceeded to Ross Bay cemetery where the last sad rites were administered. The funeral was one of the largest that has ever taken place in this city. The helmet and trumpet presented to the late Chief were placed on the casket amidst the wreaths and crosses of flowers. C. Hayward had charge of the funeral. The pall bearers were: Ex-Chiefs F. G. Richards and A. Borde; Ex-Assistant Engineer John Stephens, Foreman M. J. Conlin, H. Jewell, J. W. Anderson, John McLean and Monroe Miller.

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—Johnson, charged with burglarizing the residence of John Dyer, was before Robert Ward, J. P., this morning in the Provincial Court. After hearing evidence for the prosecution the prisoner was remanded until Monday next.

PARNELL COMMISSION

Parnell Present—The Attorney-General Opens the Case—Notes of the Trial.

Sunday Law in Tacoma—Startling Murders in Alabama—Terrible Land Slide.

London, Oct. 22—The commission appointed by Parliament to enquire into the charges made by the *Times* against Parnell and other nationalist members of Parliament opened its session this morning in the Probate court. Justices Hannen, Day, Smith, Seaton were present. Sir Chas. Russell, who with Herbert Asquith, M. P., appears for Parnell, and 83 associates applied for the release of Wm. Redmond, M. P., who was serving a sentence under the crimes act. Hannen said he would be released under strict conditions, that he would not be allowed to take part in public life and hold himself strictly as a prisoner on parole. The court decided to hold a session every day except Saturday. Attorney General Sir Richard Webster opened the case for the *Times* and said he would not treat the case as having anything to do with home rule or any Irish question. Inquiry will be made against the Parnellites in the course of the *Times*-O'Donnell libel suit. The court was crowded, Parnell and many Nationalists being present. Webster stated the evidence to be produced would prove Parnell and associates had been connected with Irish-American dynamiters, and would also show that many crimes, whose perpetrators and origin could not be traced, were due to the incitation of the Irish Land League.

SOCIALIST NOMINEES.

New York, Oct. 22—The Socialists have made national and state nominations.

STORM IN NEBRASKA.

Nebraska City, Oct. 22—A heavy snow storm prevailed here all day yesterday.

TERRIBLE LAND SLIDE.

Potenza, Italy, Oct. 22—Ninety bodies and seventy injured persons have been taken out of the debris of the scene of Saturday's land slide on the railroad near Laterga. It is certain that there are more dead bodies, as two cars are still buried.

BOARD OF CONTROL.

Chicago, Oct. 22—It is reported that the Union Pacific, Northern Pacific and Canadian Pacific roads are to be brought into harmony by the appointment of a board of control, which shall have power to settle all questions of competitive tariff.

THE DEPARTMENT NOTIFIED.

Ottawa, Oct. 22—The Militia Department has been notified of the proposal of the magistrates at Winnipeg to call out the troops to-day to quell the threatened outbreak at a crossing near Winnipeg, where the Portage extension of the Red River Valley crosses the Canadian Pacific's track.

KILLED HIS WIFE.

Winchester, Ind., Oct. 22—Victor Hill shot and killed his wife last night and slightly wounded his father-in-law. Hill had been separated from Mrs. Hill. The murderer escaped. Hundreds of armed men are in pursuit. Lynching is probable.

KILLED BY NAVAJOS.

Albuquerque, N. M., Oct. 22—An old prospector, named Patterson, was killed by Navajo Indians near Laiters reservation. Two companions of Patterson are missing and are supposed to be victims of the Indians.

LIKE THE WHITECHAPEL HORRORS.

Tuscaloosa, Ala., Oct. 22—Four startling murders, offering a parallel to the Whitechapel horrors, have been committed around Tuscaloosa during the last two weeks. The first body was that of Nancy Hall, which was found two weeks ago with her throat cut from ear to ear, and her body was otherwise horribly mutilated. The second body was found in the woods on Monday, in a state of decomposition and was also mutilated. The third was found on Friday in the same condition in the Marcen river, and the fourth was found yesterday morning near here. The negroes think there is a murderous hoodoo among them, and have left the county. None will venture out in the dark and the wildest excitement prevails among both whites and blacks. There is not the slightest clew to the perpetrators.

WHEAT MARKET.

San Francisco, Oct. 22—Wheat market very quiet this morning.

Chicago, Oct. 22—Wheat closed to-day at almost Saturday's figures; November, 114¾, December 115¾, May 113⅝.

New York, Oct. 22—Wheat was firm to-day; Dec. 112½.

Liverpool, Oct. 22—Wheat firm; California, 8s. 1d.

SUNDAY LAW IN TACOMA.

Tacoma, Oct. 22—Generally the Sunday law was observed by all saloons in this city. Only three were open and the proprietors were arrested last evening.

Judge Allyn, district judge, decided this morning that the twenty-nine Chinese on the steamer Ancon were entitled to land.

SMUGGLERS CAUGHT.

New York, Oct. 22—Inspector McAuley this morning found concealed in the baggage of a San Francisco passenger on the steamer Trave, from Bremen, a quantity of valuable furs, diamonds, trinkets and inkstands.

COLLISION.

New York, Sept 22—The steamship Roanoke, from New York for Norfolk, Va., collided with and sunk the Philadelphia coal brig Hyperion, off Alesoom light, yesterday morning, in a dense fog. The crew were saved.

BIG FIRE.

Troy, N. Y., Oct. 22—J. Robert Keith & Co.'s furniture warehouse was burned this morning. Loss $100,000.

THE PANAMA CANAL.

Paris, Oct. 22—At a meeting at Lyons to-day, DeLesseps declared the Panama Canal would be opened for traffic in July, 1890. He said he wished to correct the report that the opening would be delayed until 1891.

Archbishop Corrigan is the youngest of the Roman Catholic Bishops, and presides over the largest see. He is tall and well built, and has a step of an athlete and the manner of a courtier. He seldom uses a coach, and when he cannot walk rides in a horse-car. In his dress he is altogether unassuming also. Bishop Corrigan was born in a little white frame house on Market street, New Jersey, used since as a saloon, and later as a newspaper office.

FROM VANCOUVER.

City Affairs in General—Alder Grove Settlement—Moody, &c.

From our own Correspondent.]

Vancouver, Oct. 20—The freight offices on the C. P. R. wharf are being enlarged so that in future they will not be cramped as heretofore.

On Friday an Indian picked up a boat bottom up going out of the Narrows with the tide. Two men's hats were found beside it. The police are investigating the matter.

Already one and a half miles of riveted steel pipes have been laid on the other side of the Narrows.

Last evening a Fort Douglas Indian, in the employ of the Moodyville Mill Co., met with a very painful accident by getting his foot crushed beneath the rollers of the lumber carriage. He was brought over to the City Hospital.

Dr. McGuigan was deputed by Mr. B. Springer to go to Seymour Creek yesterday to investigate the report that there was smallpox among the Squamish Indians there. In the evening the doctor returned, but reported no sickness of any kind there. The Indian Agent, accompanied by the Health Officer, went to Howe Sound to-day to inspect the Indians at that point.

The police quarters have been considerably enlarged and remodelled, and three extra "coolers" have been constructed.

To-day your correspondent had an interview with John L. Broe of south of Alder Grove. Mr. Broe says that the settlers in that locality are working industriously on their farms, and devoting their attention principally to hop-raising, which crop is excellent this year. Mr. Broe had a superior sample in the city with him. The people of that settlement experience considerable difficulty in communicating with other settlements, as there are no roads except through American territory by which they can reach a market or secure supplies, and in bringing their necessaries from the U. S. they have to pay duty. They consider it a great injustice to be denied a road to Alder Grove, which is not very distant, and yet be compelled to pay duty on articles which they are compelled to purchase in the United States territory, for lack of connection with some Canadian town. As this is likely to prove a good district if only opened up, something should unquestionably be done by the Government to smooth the way for those hardy pioneers, and to give them access to our own markets, or else desist from charging them duty on the necessaries of life which they bring from over the line.

Oct. 21—The local clergy are making strenuous efforts to make mellow the ground for the sowing of the spiritual seed next week by the great revivalist, Moody, and if the weather proves propitious they anticipate a great in-gathering of the harvest even while the evangelist is here to superintend the work.

A rare and beautiful phenomenon was witnessed here about half-past six on Friday evening. The full moon had risen in all her autumnal glory from a clear and cloudless horizon, while a light spray fell from the aerial fount upon the city. The light that beamed from the face of Luna cast a silver bow over the town which lingered to the admiration of all for a full quarter of an hour, when nature's veil was quietly drawn over the face of the moon and the silvery band faded from sight.

The C. P. steamship Parthia arrived in port at 3:15 this morning, and as there was no available space at the dock she lay off in the stream all day. X.

SPORTING NOTES.

The competition for the Lauris Bugle took place at Clover Point rifle range on Saturday afternoon. Gunner A. R. Langley of No. 3 Battery made 66 points out of a possible 75. The ranges were 200, 400 and 500 yards, five shots at each range. The following scores were made:

VICTORIA RIFLES.

	200	400	500	Total.
Capt. Woolacott	21	15	18	54
Sgt. Roper	18	17	11	46
Corp. Roper	16	19	0	35
Pte. C. W. Newbury	20	19	8	47
Pte. H. Smith	6	16	0	22
Pte. J. Hanley	21	19	5	45
Pte. H. Henley	19	20	16	55
Corp. F. Mallendaine	17	5	7	29
Pte. Lettice	14	10	0	24
Pte. Service	13	14	11	38
Total				395

NO. 3 BATTERY, R. C. G. A.

	200	400	500	Total.
Gr. H. Fleming	12	5	5	23
Sgt. Newbury	19	20	6	45
Sgt. B. Williams	18	18	6	42
Gr. J. L. Beckwith	17	16	20	53
Gr. A. R. Langley	22	19	25	66
Gr. R. F. Harrison	18	13	8	40
Corp. C. Brand	18	14	10	42
Gr. F. Wolfenden	17	19	11	47
Gr. W. E. Losee	13	17	4	34
Sgt. W. Atkins	15	16	0	31
Total				423

FOOTBALL.

A practice game of football took place on Beacon Hill on Saturday afternoon. The sides were chosen by B. W. T. Drake and Lindley Crease. The game resulted in a victory for Drake's team by four points to two.

We are pleased to see the lacrosse men turning out and assisting the football club in the practice games, and hope the football men will do likewise next spring. Next Saturday there will be another practice, when the team to be pitted against Vancouver will be selected. A good turn out of players is requested.

GOOD SHOOTING.

Private Gillies, of Winnipeg, who made such a fine record at Wimbledon two years ago, has recently broken the record in Manitoba with a score of 97 out of 105.

Jefferson Davis is now a white-haired, white-bearded man of eighty years. He does not look his age, however, for his figure is erect, his step firm, and his eyes bright. He is still the fearless horseman of his early days when he was noted as one of the most daring riders of the South. Mr. Davis has lived for the last thirteen years at Beauvoir, on the shores of the Gulf in Southern Mississippi, between Mobile and New Orleans. His house is a large old-fashioned double framed plantation cottage. The lower story opens as is the case in most Southern houses. A wide gallery surrounds the house. The servants' quarters are outside, and Mr. Davis has quite an imposing study, where he wrote his history of the rebellion, built upon the grounds. Mr. Davis has been married for forty years to a lady who is considerably his junior.

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Victoria, Monday, October 22, 1888.

THREE DOLLARS AN ACRE.

A letter from a well known resident of the province, signed "A. B.," appears elsewhere in this issue. Our correspondent fully substantiates the statement made in these columns a few days ago, that the E. & N. Railway Company was demanding three dollars per acre for lands in Comox fit for settlement. Mr. DUNSMUIR, the President of the railway company, has instituted an action against THE TIMES for libel for alleged damaging statements contained in the article in question. The Colonist at the time denied that the company asked $3 per acre from *bona fide* settlers. "A. B." mentions an instance where that sum was asked by Mr. TRUTCH, who administers the land for the company. The result has been unfortunate. No settler has located in Comox in months, and be it remembered Comox is the most desirable agricultural district on Vancouver Island. It may be said that three dollars per acre is not much to pay for farming lands, but it must not be forgotten that any man can procure a homestead in the Northwest free. If we desire to encourage settlement and build up a prosperous and populous state in this highly favored portion of the Dominion we must offer equally favorable inducements; or, since most of the agricultural lands have been acquired by speculators and railway companies *free grants* are no longer possible, there should be no unnecessary impediments placed in the way of the actual settler. It seems to be the opinion of the goverament press that it is treasonable for THE TIMES to discuss the land question, because in so doing the President of the E. & N. Railway necessarily comes in for his share of censure, he being responsible for the policy of the company, but in calling public attention to this question we are simply doing our duty to the people of the province as a whole, and their interests are paramount to every other consideration. It is true, within certain limitations, that a man or company can do as he likes with his own, but a private policy that is inimical to public welfare is not, we submit, an instance where the press should remain silent.

WHAT WILL THE HARVEST BE?

During the past week the services held by Mr. D. L. Moody, the evangelist, have been constantly attended by thousands of eager listeners. That the seed sown has fallen, some on good ground and some by the wayside amongst tares, must be expected. The effect on the community at large has been most marked; the people have been awakened. Nothing tends more to indifference, especially in religion, than to suffer it to stagnate. The waters must be troubled before they can exert their virtues. A man who works beyond the surface of things, though his system may not be right according to orthodox ideas, clears the way for other impressions, and, although we may not agree as to the means, may chance to make his labors subservient to the cause of truth. God has planted in our nature a sense of ambition, and it affords men much satisfaction in excelling in things deemed valuable and laudable amongst us. This passion drives men to many ways in order to signalize themselves, and such has a tendency to make whatever excites a distinction very pleasant. To this latter may be attributed the cause which impels some of our fellows to seek the distinction of acknowledging the influence of religion before the congregation. Many have in all ages made religion a convenience and a cloak, and the loudest in professions have sometimes been found to be the most debased, but the practice of religion and morality has a beneficial effect on a community. Vice is not openly pandered to or catered for; the Sabbath is observed, and if there are hypocrites we still find a leaven of godliness. In such a community, virtue, probity and steadfastness will be more honored; an emulation will be created in a desire to do good. In the great battle of life a good sound moral and religious training will be found an aid and a help to those struggling for an existence. Brotherly love and a fellow feeling will be engendered which is the foundation of our natural religion, and although this may be abused yet in the end it will be found to contribute to the happiness and contentment of the community. If the services of Mr. MOODY have no other beneficial and lasting effect on this community than opening our eyes to many of the evils which seem to pervade our city, if even only for a time, short or long, the result will be towards good; the evil can scarcely be increased even if the community resorts, after a time, towards its old indifference.

PROPERLY REBUKED.

The Vancouver News thus refers to a subject which we, unfortunately, have had to discuss with some degree of plainness in the course of the past few days: "Every respectable journal will agree with the remarks of the Victoria TIMES in condemning the action of some newspapers in commenting and criticising the utterances of a contemporary which are the subject of a judicial enquiry at the suit of some person who considers himself aggrieved or injured by the statements referred to. The ordinary courtesy which a newspaper should display towards a contemporary would, it might be supposed, be sufficient of itself to prevent any reference to a matter while it was *sub judice*, or if for some supposed public reason a journal thought it desirable or necessary to refer to the subject, it should be only with the view of soothing away the difficulties which had arisen between some member of the fourth estate and an individual. We can conceive nothing more despicable than making an attack on a newspaper, which from the circumstances, is necessarily unable to protect itself but must reserve any attempt at defence or justification for the course it had pursued for the proper legal tribunal. Indeed, so apparent is this that the public quickly comprehends the *animus* which causes a journal to take such a contemptible course. To suppose that the decay of a journal, long established but which has fallen away in public opinion on account of incompetent management can be arrested, or that the circulation and influence of a newspaper newly started and possessing neither of these can obtain them by such a course as that to which the TIMES refers, is to give those who believe such things possible very little credit for either judgment or knowledge, letting alone altogether the honesty and morality of their conduct. It is of course easily understood that journals which make a boast of their being subsidized by a government, corporation, or individual should feel compelled to give their patrons some return for the money lavished upon them, and, as simple hirelings, they will probably seek to justify their conduct on the ples of necessity. But they can be assured that the public will understand their motives as easily as their contemporaries do, and that while those who have bought their support find that they have obtained but a broken reed, the people will treat both parties to the corrupt and shameful bargain with the contempt that they deserve."

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Ottawa Free Press: An American gentlemen who has large interests in Canada writing from New York to a friend in Ottawa, says betting is eight to six in favor of Cleveland, and expresses the opinion that the President will be re-elected and that the Senate will be Democratic after next year.

The New York World has a young lady reporter who has been hiring out to the slop-shop tailors, with the view of accurately describing the condition of those who work in them. She finds that "American labor," protected 67 per cent., is working twelve hours a day, seven days in the week, in vile and wretched quarters. It is earning from 30 to 70 cents a day. Some of it is "living"—Heaven save the mark!—on 50 cents a week for food.

The only noteworthy thing about the cards of the would-be representatives of Cariboo to the electors is the blow that they are Sir John's men. There seems to be a desire sweeping through the province just now for independent men to represent us at Ottawa, and the Cariboo candidates, as if fearing they might be suspected of any leanings to the doctrine of independence, fall on their faces and cry "Great is Sir John, great is Diana of the conservatives." It appears to us that what we require to elect in this province is fewer supporters of Sir John and more supporters of British Columbia; more men of ability and sturdy independence, and fewer bleating office seekers.

London Truth says: "The Archbishop of Canterbury, who has been visiting Lord Abinger at Inverlochy Castle, Inverness-shire, arrived last week with his family, at Braemar, where he has rented Viewbank house for a month. The Queen never takes the slightest notice of any English prelates who happen to be staying at Braemar during the autumn sojourn of the Court at Balmoral, and it appears to be a strict rule with Her Majesty to ignore all clergy except "Established" Presbyterian ministers while she is in Scotland." The Archbishop of Canterbury, although he is the head of the Church of England in England, and has $75,000 a year, is a Dissenter in Scotland and it would be unconstitutional for the Queen to recognize him.

If we are to believe Senator Ingall's confederation in Canada is a complete failure. The Kansas orator is thus reported: "The natural location of the Canadian territory, and the manners and customs of the people incline the residents more toward the United States government and its protection than to a longer continuance under British rule. He says, further, that the intrusion of England in the politics of this continent is an intolerable impertinence! It is dictated by deliberate hostility to the United States. It is a studied affront waich our people understand and will ultimately resent. Left to the operation of social, industrial and educational forces Canada would irresistibly gravitate into the Union. The ultimate coalition is inevitable. It may be violent and compulsory. If British men-of-war continue to haul down the flags of American fishermen without protest in waters over which England has practically no more jurisdiction than the United States have in the Mersey or the Thames, the issue will pass beyond diplomacy, and our volunteers will march on Montreal and Quebec and take possession of the Canadian Pacific and the St. Lawrence." The Senator is always interesting and amusing.

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EDITOR TIMES.—Please inform me how many kind of politicians luxuriate in British Columbia. Z. L., Hot Springs.

Answer—The species are few and seem all of a kidney. The most prevalent are the class known as time-servers and boodlers. Some of them turn their names as well as their coats and newspapers. They raise the anti-Chinese cry and then build their houses. They not only turn to every device but also turn their hair to deceive the public.

DEAR SIR:—Could you inform me why it is that the political kettle on Government street is boiling just now, and still the bottom is not hot. When taken off the stove the bottom immediately becomes hot. BILLY BARLOW.

ANS.—The Kettle you mention requires more fuel from Ottawa which keeps the bottom cool. When boilers and kettles boil and froth over, it is a sign that the vessel is not clean. When it is taken off the Ottawa stove the bottom always becomes hot. It has been pretty hot for some time and should the cleaning composition and fuel fail to arrive from Ottawa the boiler may burst. It's dangerous and should be given a wide berth.

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Victoria B. C., 19th October 1888. oct 19

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RANDOM REMARKS.

An Essay on Moustaches—Also Something on Quotations.

Of hirsute appendages the moustache, probably, is the most desirable, not only as a feature of ornamentation, but as an offset to a too prominent nose. It hides also deformities of lip, and it renders problematical the size of the mouth. Short upper lips are unfavorable to heavy moustaches. Long upper lips only produce heavy moustaches. The moustache, in fact, to be redundant, fierce, brigandish, requires surface. Not to mention the protection the moustache affords the lips against chapping, and the obstruction it presents against the inhalation of dust, to the average man it is a thing of beauty and a joy forever—that is, a luxuriant moustache. Color plays no part in the beauty of a moustache, provided it be heavy enough to screen the lips, and long enough to twist about the finger. A moustache, whether it be black or white, red or brown, looks well if it be dense enough. It is the badge of strength; though, of course, there are exceptions. Weak men sometimes seem to go all to hair. Light moustaches, to be regarded strictly ornamental, require pronounced colors: that is to say, they should be either black or dark brown. A meagre red moustache is an abomination. The young fellow growing a light moustache of pronounced color, need not be afraid of being slighted by the girls, and indeed, among a certain class of the softer sex's. Such a moustache is preferred to a hirsute jungle. Girls of the ecstatic, heroic class do not object to smothering their noses in a rank growth of moustache, provided always, of course, the party behind it is her affinity. The poetic, romantic girl, however, seems to prefer the long, slender growth, inasmuch as this variety of moustache is Don Juanish and indicative of a somewhat intense temperament. Taking these features of the moustache into consideration, the question which presents itself to the inquiring minds of Kamloops is, why is "Moustache Jim" a bachelor. This is one of the conundrums of Kamloops. "Moustache Jim's" moustache is no misnomer. It is the simon pure article, and is attached to a not ill looking face. Judging "Moustache Jim" from his facial qualifications, he should have married rich, and by this time have combined the qualities of paternity with that of a retired burgomaster. "Moustache Jim" has missed his opportunity. If ten or fifteen years ago Jim's reputation for rectitude had stood out as prominently as his moustache he not only must have married well, but would have gravitated into the position of colonel of militia. What an admirable militia officer he would have made, and how the small boy would have glorified him. Major Prior would have been nowhere. But, alas, "Moustache Jim" failed to improve the opportunities which nature so lavishly bestowed on him. Nature is freakish. She bestows her favors on men who cannot appreciate or apply them to noble purposes, while plodding mediocrity carries away all the honors. One recent Sunday morning "Moustache Jim" was in an heroic mood, inspired by copious libations of rye juice, and the tradition that he once belonged to the Inniskillen dragoons. It so happened that during one of his impassioned flights, he was overheard by a prosaic functionary of the law, who without circumlocution ordered him to be instantly removed to the Bastile. Later, when Jim appeared in the prisoner's box, the cynosure of all eyes and the discomposing gaze of two stern J. Ps., he was abject indeed. He was no longer the furious dragoon, slashing right and left. He had totally forgotten the immortal ride of the four hundred. The battlements of the Malakoff no longer appeared to view. There was no opportunity for him to display his martial prowess. "The pomp of heraldry and the pride of power" was invested in a pair of stern visaged judges, and the expression of their eyes portended thirty days, and so it turned out, for notwithstanding Jim's protestations that he would never do so any more, and that he would shake the dust of Kamloops off his feet, they gave him the option of $20 or thirty days at hard labor.

Between the undersigned and the intelligent compositor, not to mention the "proof reader," criticism was aroused in town the other day, among the knowing ones. Said a man to me, a man who is the possessor of a "still small voice," the man who engaged Mayor Grant in debate over the functions of the U. S. Supreme Court, how is it that you make Cassius say that "he who steals my purse steals trash." I replied that it was the printer who did it; that with his usual aptitude for rendering text verbatim he had spelled Cassio, Cassius. But you are wrong, persisted my questioner. It was Iago, not Cassio, who made that famous remark. At this I wanted to make a small bet, and was at once taken up. I lost. The bar-keeper said it was Iago and I told him to put it on the slate. I may have been mistaken, but I judged from the dark, ominous expression of the bar man's face that he was sorry he didn't decide the bet against the other man. And the result of this small wager prompts me to say that not having read Shakespeare for years the error of quotation was a natural one. It is difficult for memorised impressions to resist the encroachment of time, so that two persons bearing the relations of Cassio and Iago, are liable to be confounded. Not a week ago I heard a man say, "A man *convinced* against his will is of the same opinion still." It is impossible to convince a man against his will. Conviction results from reasoning, and from nothing else. The quotation should have been construed thus, "He who *complies* against his will," &c. It is not too much to say that two-thirds of the quotations used, while perhaps not so glaringly erroneous as the above instances, suffer from interpolation and omission. Gray's Elegy, probably, is less incorrectly quoted than any other production, and that from the fact that its rythm is so nearly perfect as to be easily memorised. The solemnity of the poem is another feature which contributes to leave ineffaceable impressions on the tablets of the memory, and we have between these two qualities the grand essentials in poetry, whose impressions resist the wear and tear of time. He would be a singularly unappreciative man who having once memorised Gray's Elegy should forget it. IRVING.

An Explanation.

What is this "nervous trouble" with which so many seem now to be afflicted? If you will remember a few years ago the word Malaria was comparatively unknown—to-day it is as common as any word in the English language, yet this word covers only the meaning of another word used by our forefathers in times past. So it is with nervous diseases, as they and Malaria are intended to cover what our grandfathers called Biliousness, and all are caused by troubles that arise from a diseased condition of the Liver which in performing its functions finding it cannot dispose of the bile through the ordinary channel is compelled to pass it off through the system, causing nervous troubles, Malaria, Bilious Fever, etc. You who are suffering can well appreciate a cure. We recommend Green's August Flower. Its' cures are marvelous. *

Gentlemen.

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SCOTTISH LITERATURE.

XII.—WILLIAM DRUMMOND.

William Drummond, of Hawthornden, was born in the year 1585. His father, Sir John Drummond, was gentleman-usher to King James, and the poet seems to have inherited his reverence for royalty. Drummond studied civil law for four years in France. In 1610 he succeeded to an independent estate and took up his residence at Hawthornden. If beautiful and romantic scenery could create or nurse the genius of a poet, Drummond was peculiarly blessed with means of inspiration. In the immediate neighborhood of Hawthornden is Roslin Chapel, one of the most interesting of ruins, and the whole course of the river Esk and the narrow glen is like the groundwork of some fairy dream. Drummond soared above a mere local or provincial fame. He was familiar with classic and English poetry, and imbued with true literary taste and feeling His first publication was in 1613, "Tears on the Death of Mœliades," or Henry, Prince of Wales. In 1616 appeared a volume of poems of various kinds, but chiefly of love or sorrow. Drummond's feelings were so intense on the side of the Royalists, that the execution of Charles is said to have hastened his death, which took place at the close of the same year, December, 1649. Drummond was intimate with Ben Jonson and Dryden; and in the year 1618, Jonson paid Drummond a visit at Hawthornden.

In 1617 was published Drummond's finest poem, "Forth Feasting," congratulating King James on his re-visiting his native country of Scotland. The poetry of Drummond has singular sweetness and harmony of versification. He excelled in the heroic couplet, and his sonnets are of a still higher cast. They have fewer conceits, and more natural feeling, elevation of sentiment, and grace of expression. The general purity of his language, the harmony of his verse, and the play of fancy, in all his chief production, are his distinguishing characteristics. He also wrote several pieces in prose, the chief of which are "The History of the Five Jameses," and "A Cypress Grove."

The following beautiful lines are from one of his sonnets:

In mind's pure glass when I myself behold,
And lively see how my best days are spent,
What clouds of care above my head are rolled,
What coming ill, which I cannot prevent,
My course begun, I wearied do repent,
And would embrace what reason oft hath told:
Though sure I know my labor's end is grief,
The more I strive, that I the more shall pine,
That only death shall be my last relief:
I know that all beneath the moon decays,
And what by mortals in this world is brought
In Time's great periods, shall return to nought,
The fairest states have fatal nights and days.
I know that all the Muse's heavenly lays
With toil of sprite which are so dearly bought,
As idle sounds, of few or none are sought,
That there is nothing lighter than vain praise.
I know frail beauty's like the purple flower,
To which one morn oft birth and death affords,
That love a jarring is of mind's accords,
Where sense and will bring under reason's power;
Know what I list, all this cannot me move,
But that, alas! I both must write and love.
—"SCOTIA."

PRICE OF LAND.

To the Editor of the Times:

Sir,—I was very much astonished to find in a leader of the *Weekly Colonist* received here yesterday, the following paragraph:

"The Times in the same article maliciously misrepresents Mr. Dunsmuir in another matter. It says that we have the lands of the E. & N. Railway offered to the immigrant for the magnificent sum of $2 an acre. The truth is that the Immigrant who intends to settle on the land can get it for one dollar an acre with four years in which to pay even that moderate price. It is the speculator who is charged three dollars an acre, &c., &c."

I beg to ask has the E. & N. Railway Co. altered its terms for land within the last few weeks? My reason for asking the question is this: A young man who has been working in the settlement all the summer, wished to take up land and settle on it. He wrote to the E. & N. Railway Co. for their terms. He received an answer—the price of the land was three dollars an acre, one dollar to be paid on application for the land, the balance to be paid on its being surveyed, at the option of the Co. This may not be the exact words used in the letter, but these words convey the true import of the young man's letter. The letter was signed by Mr. Trutch. If the Railway Co. have amended their terms, I have done the Co. an injustice, as only but last week I had a letter from an English gentleman, now in Washington Territory, asking me for some information about Comox. He made particular enquiry as to the price of land, and I certainly told him that the price of land was three dollars an acre, instead of one as heretofore. I both saw and read said letter. I enclose my name, not necessarily for publication, but you are at liberty to use it if necessary. A. B.

P. S.—If the Railway Co. intended to put a stop to the settlement of this beautiful district, it has succeeded admirably. I have not heard of any one taking up land here for many months. A. B.

Comox, Oct. 18th, 1888.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Latest Happenings in the Eastern Provinces.

R. Waugh is circulating a petition for the repeal of the Scott Act in the county of Lanark.

The Toronto council have at last resolved to consider the question of placing the telephone and telegraph wires under ground, and obtain the necessary power from the legislature.

John Mallon, chief superintendent of the Dublin police, has announced his intention to retire from the public service. Mallon has been in continual service for over 30 years and knows more about Fenian organization than any official living.

Mr. Hogan of the St. Lawrence Hall, Montreal, having refused to subscribe to the carnival fund the Windsor has withdrawn its subscription of $2500. There is a likelihood of the carnival falling through.

Dr. Ell, colored pastor of the Antioch colored church in Edgeirad, Georgia, some time ago formed a co-operative association among his parishioners, and acted as storekeeper. Dissensions soon arose, and the preacher was found in the woods with over a hundred buckshot wounds in his body, inflicted by members of his congregation.

The Right Time.

Probably there is no period in life more important for the mental and moral training of youths than that between eight and seventeen years of age. If the spring-time of life is well employed, good results may be expected in after years. No better preparation can be afforded boys in this province than that which may be obtained at Corrig School, which is already largely patronized, and which is weekly increasing in number

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SING KEE.
Victoria B. C. October 1, 1888. oct1-1m

NOTICE.

Estate of Thomas Inge, deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE above estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith, and all persons having claims against the said estate are requested to present the same to

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Solicitor for the Executors.
Victoria, 4th October, 1888. oct5tf

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Full particulars given by applying to the Registrar.

G. L. MILNE,
oct 13 1m Registrar and Secretary.

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of Alexander Allan, deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE Estate of the said deceased are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith and all person having claims against the said estate are requested to send particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of November, 1888.

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Victoria, B. C., 15th Oct. 1888. oct13-1m

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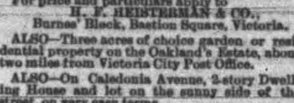

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R. H. JOHN, K. of R. & S. oct9

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mr5 1y R. B. ESNOUF, Secretary.

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The Daily Times.

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Victoria, Monday, October 22, 1888.

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CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Ice Cream at Steitz's.

—See ad. of grand piano for sale. 1w

—Kurtz's Jubilee Cigars are now ready

—Oysters and Turtles at Poodle Dog.

—The licensed vintners held a meeting this afternoon for re-organization.

—The Yosemite brought down over 100 passengers from Vancouver last night.

—The Dominion Government will establish a fog horn on Discovery Island.

—Fried, the barber, has removed to the corner of Government and Yates streets.*

—Mrs. W. Bingham, the wife of a Vancouver railroader, last week gave birth to triplets.

—Three new street letter boxes have arrived from Ottawa; three more will arrive shortly.

—Dr. Griffin states that he has disposed of the coal lands near Nanaimo to the O. R. & N. Company.

Mr. W. C. Anderson, the new proprietor of the Clarence, has taken charge. He will be a loss to the Union Club.

—Wiggins, weather prophet, has been notified that his prediction regarding a cold wave in the yellow fever district in the South has been confirmed.

—Dr. Sutherland stated in Winnipeg on his way east that the prospects of the Methodist Church were never brighter in British Columbia than at present.

—Ross & Ceperley, Real Estate and Insurance. C. P. R. Co.'s lots for sale; correspondence solicited. P. O. Block, Hastings street, Vancouver, B. C. *

—The Dominion Government is urged by the Vancouver corporation to continue the exploration of black cod fishing grounds on this coast and to establish fishing stations.

—Vancouver has a new morgue, adjoining the hospital. The front or receiving room has a cement floor, and the walls and ceiling are lined with zinc and filled in with sawdust. The rear room is to be used for dissecting purposes.

—Mr. Williams says the electric light on Chatham street is on the same circuit with the lights in the skating rink, and must be kept alight during the time Mr. Moody is holding meetings in that place. This was the reason for the Chatham street light burning during moonlight nights.

—Anderson & Grady will soon begin the erection of a saw-mill 40x140 feet, at Vancouver, the site selected being just east of the San Juan Lime Kiln Co.'s works. The capacity of the mill will be 70,000 to 80,000 feet per day. The machinery has been ordered from W. Hamilton & Co., Peterboro.'

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of the Movements of Well Known Persons.

Johann Wulffshon, banker of Vancouver, is in the city.

W L Leonard and Miss Leonard, Vancouver, are at the Driard.

W H Holloway, of "His Natural Life" company is in the city.

Miss Frier, Vancouver, and Miss Hendrie, Hamilton, arrived on last night's steamer.

J W Spinks and H W Chamberlain, Vancouver, are at the Clarence.

Arthur Bullock, merchant, of Nanaimo, is at the Driard.

Mr Wolfe, of Nanaimo, and his sister-in-law, Miss Meyer, came down on yesterday's train.

Geo Thompson, M P P, of Nanaimo, is in the city.

Supt. Roycraft arrived this afternoon on the Nanaimo train. He left the hunting party at Kuper Island.

Plinlimmon, said to be the largest and finest St. Bernard dog in the world, has just been purchased of Mr. S. W. Smith, of Leeds, England, for $5,000. J. K Emmet, the comedian, is his present owner, and he intends to introduce him to American audiences in his play Fritz'

Senator John P. Jones, of Nevada, came to this country from Wales, and went gold-hunting to California in '49. He began with a pick in hand, and today one of his mines yields him $12,000 a month. Senator Jones is a short stocky man, with a large head, bald on top, and fringed with gray at the sides. His cheeks are red, his eyes puffy, and he wears his white beard cropped close. He dresses plainly, but carries the unmistakable air of wealth about with him. He is fond of reading, and has a fine library.

Whatcom Real Estate.

It is said that Mr. Reginald Jones, who was here last week selling Whatcom real estate, made sales in this city to the amount of $5000.

Sale of Winter Clothing.

The ladies of the Diocesan Aid Society will hold a sale of winter clothing in Christ Church school on Wednesday next. Refreshments will be provided between the hours of 12 a. m. and 6 p. m.

Mr. Moody's Programme.

Mr. Moody will commence his meetings at Vancouver on Sunday next. There is a talk of these meetings being held conjointly with meetings in New Westminster, one being held in each city on each day.

Connubial Bliss.

Among the events in South Cowichan last week was the marriage on Wednesday of Major McKeau and Miss Clara Capley, daughter of Mr. Wm. Capley, of Cobble Hill. Rev. D. McRae, of this city, performed the ceremony.

Committed Suicide.

On Monday last an inquest was held in Kamloops over the body of Lee Wah, formerly manager for the Kwong On Wah Co., who committed suicide by taking an overdose of morphine. The deceased was of a cheerful temperament and a shrewd business man. What induced him to commit the rash act is unknown, unless it was a slight embarrassment in business.

Salmon Shipments.

The steamer Sardonyx. Capt. Meyers, arrived from the North last night with 3575 cases salmon from Rivers Inlet; Inverness cannery, 1500 cases; Aberdeen cannery, 2103 cases; Balmoral cannery, 826 cases; Cunningham's cannery, 3754 cases; total 11,758 cases. Of these 8955 will be shipped on board the Norcross at Esquimalt. The steamer Western Slope and the Princess Louise will arrive from Fraser river this evening, the former with 5000, the latter with 1000 cases for the same vessel.

Grand Concert.

As will be seen from our advertising columns the First Presbyterian Church Choir will give another grand concert next Monday evening. We understand that the whole affair is under Mr. Brown's personal supervision and that should be a guarantee to the public that they will receive a musical treat of the highest order. Where such names as Mrs. Harris, Miss O'Neil, Mrs. Turnbull, Col. Prior, Mr. Robson, Professors Sharpe and Strauss appear on the programme, the musical success is assured, and we predict a crowded house next Monday. The programme is not yet completed, but will be forthcoming in a few days.

New Style of Suiciding.

A horrible case of suicide is reported from St. Cuthber, Quebec. A farmer named Dubois, who has been in depressed spirits for some time, took his team of oxen and a log chain to the bush, and putting one end of the chain over the branch of a tree tied the center part in one coil round his neck and made fast the other end of the chain to the yoke of oxen. He then started the oxen off, and in their obeying his order he was, of course, strangled. His head was not entirely severed from the body, no doubt owing to the fact that the oxen stopped on hearing his cries, which attracted the attention of his wife, who ran out and found him stone dead.

POLICE COURT.

[Before Hon. A. N. Richards, Q.C.]

Two Queen Charlotte Indians were charged with drunkenness. They said that on account of having a *sick tumtum* they imbibed an overdose of tanglefoot. Fined $5 each.

Billy Sutherland, a Nass River Indian, with a handkerchief over his eye, pleaded guilty to a charge of being drunk and disorderly and paid a fine of $5.

A Nass river Indian pleaded not guilty when charged with drunkenness. Officer Walker said he was called on Saturday night to arrest an Indian who was standing in a crowd hitting right and left with a baton. The Indian was trying to arrest a white man and had a pair a handcuffs on the white. The native said he was an Indian policeman and was arresting a white man for creating a disturbance amongst his Indian friends.

The case was postponed until tomorrow morning.

Two Indians, charged by officers Mitten and Lindsay with being in possession of intoxicants. Fined $25 or one month in gaol.

Charles Brown pleaded guilty to being drunk. Fined $5.

J. D. ROBINSON'S CASE.

The Charge Dropped and the Case Dismissed.

This case was before the Court this morning. Mr. Davie said he intended to close the case with the balance sheet for 1887, which shows a deficit of $2000. Since commencing proceedings Mr. Robinson paid in $2,000.

Mr. Mills—I gave a cheque to the Corporation subject to adjustment.

His Honor—What do you intend to do?

Mr. Davie—I leave that to your Honor. We have placed all the evidence before you and it might be said that we are compounding a felony. Your Honor can deal with the case.

Mr. Mills—There would be no case to go to a jury. The money, $2,000, was paid in subject to adjustment.

Mr. Davie—There was no attempt made to post the books until the books got into the hands of the auditors.

Mr. Mills—Mr. Davie charged Mr. Robinson with embezzlement. The defendant held receipts from Mr. Russell, of which the prosecution knew nothing before the charge was brought. The only shortage is $700, which has been made good.

His Honor—The money has been paid and Mr. Robinson did wrong in not paying the money over. The shortage should not have been found only for the audit. I do not feel disposed to send this case to the Supreme Court. If the prosecution wants to carry the matter to the Supreme Court they can institute proceedings before another magistrate. His Worship the Mayor said, while giving evidence, that the by-law calling on the Corporation employees to hand over the funds in their hands was a dead letter for a number of years.

His Honor dismissed the case.

OUR TOWN MAJOR.

Moody's Lectures—Newspaper Men—Morality—An Incident.

The rink was quite comfortable last night, so very much so that the Major caught all the cold sitting by the stove. "The humble shall be exalted." The genial postmaster wanted to exhalt the Major last night; but no, any seat in the tabernacle of the house of Israel will do for him. Now, if the Major wanted to create an effect, like the callow youth on the *Colonist*, he'd go up to the front, shoot his linen, pull up his sleeves and his pants, screw up his cadaverous looking countenance and look daggers at the crowd, talk all the time, laugh and jeer and make himself ridiculous.

"Who will stand up for the Lord." Yes, and who will stand up for the honor and fair name of their city that has become the flaughing stock of all people and places, laying the smallest claim to morality. Where are those moralists that signed the Menzie's petition? Why don't they stand up for the Lord and morality? Ye, scoffers and mockers of all that's good and beautiful in our nature, take your stand and let the people know what you mean. Religion and morality has been a cloak long enough. Cast it off, and if you are nothing else, be honest! But you can't, it's not your nature. Mr. Moody has a big contract on hand if he only makes an impression on you. "Ye generation of vipers," etc.

They were sitting close by the stove. Tears were in her eyes and she looked as if she would like to stand up for the Lord. "Come, Frank, let us——." "Yes," said he, "it's near time." "I mean Frank," replied she, "let's go to the inquiry room; Mr. Moody ——." "Oh! let's get hout o'this," and they went out. The fond, loving one with sorrow stamped on her sad countenance, endeavoring to save him that was lost—out in the cold world to battle with all its trials and temptations. Will they no come back again?

Adam was the first man. Who will deny that? He was also the first man to apply for the position of Chief of Police.

"Cupar law" of old will be known as Victoria law to future generations. Hang a man first, try him afterwards; that's the way to do it. If the late Chief of City Police has been guilty of any charge, why not bring it forward, prove it, and then—act? That's justice, fair play and good will toward men.

We are not only having the light let in on our souls but also in our streets. While in this frame of mind, why not take the Major's advice of months ago and plant shade trees. This is about the season for transplanting trees. Let some one set about it and set an example.

The Aldermen have at last consented to afford our brave defenders a place to drill, which will be convenient to most all of them. It should be impressed on the Militia Department that the Victoria Drill Shed must be a Drill Shed, not a barn. There are many models to copy from—Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, etc.

Now, you verdant pippin, what in thunder do you know about Sidd-enham, with a ham, as you call it? What you said in your report of the "Otter" was very nice indeed, and all that, except the "scow" and "her engines" had been awarded the first prize at the great "World's Exposition" held in the Crystal Palace, Sydenham, in 1851." You tell the "hypercritical ignoramus" of The Times to-day that the building was removed to Sydenham in 1854. If so how could the prize be awarded in 1851. Permit the Major, as ignorant as he is, sonny, to tell you again that the Crystal Palace had no existence in 1851; that Sydenham, *via* Paddington Station, or the late extension of Marylebone road, "high level" or "low level," is 16 miles, and Paddington is how many miles from the site of Paxton's Palace of glass? The Crystal Palace is not a place for exhibition of industries, it is a place for pleasure, young man; why, even the word "exposition" had no meaning or existence in 1851. Like yourself, sonny, it's a late coinage—almost as "green" as yourself or as ignorant as the geographer-in-chief of the *Colonist* newspapers.

We are told that cleanliness is next to godliness, and that vice, sin and crime lurk in the slums which are the cesspools of our large centers of population. Cleanliness, and light and air are deemed necessary adjuncts to reformation. You should devote a little attention to the slums of your fair city, say from Government street to Chinatown; as it exists, it forms an unsightly adornment to the beauties of Victoria, and sadly contrasts with the aspect of your orchards and grounds. There are many other dens of vice where fallen women congregate. Do they receive that sisterly fellowship from you to which they are entitled, and which the Man of Sorrows accorded Mary Magdalene? Social fellowship is also one of the great agencies of reform; the absence of it the main cause of many vices, even in Victoria.

Your City Council have made a poor attempt indeed at reforming the morals. The intentions no doubt of the originator were good; but what can one or two do amongst so many? As it stands the moral by-law is simply a farce, a snare and a delusion. How can you expect a proper observance of the Sabbath where the heathen congregate and practice all the vices before the eyes of your young men and women? Are they not permitted to do so with impunity? Nay, are they not encouraged, by being connived at. The Saturday half holiday would be a boon to our workingmen, and one of the great arguments against Sabbath breaking would be removed were it granted. Use your influence towards having it become a reality.

THE TOWN MAJOR.

CRIMINAL LIBEL.

The Charge Against the Colonist—The Case Opened.

After disposing of the petty cases in the police court this morning, the charge of criminal libel brought by Mayor John Grant against Ellis & Co., publishers and proprietors of the *Colonist*, was taken up.

The information read that W. H. Ellis and A. G. Sargison wilfully and maliciously libelled Mayor John Grant in a letter published over the signature of "Taxpayer." S. Perry Mills and J. R. Hett appeared for the prosecution; Theo. Davie, Q. C., for the defense.

His Honor read the article and said it means that the Mayor connived at the defalcations of the late treasurer.

Mr. Davie—That's what it means.

Mr. Mills—That is quite an admission.

Mr. Davie—The article is admitted, and we must prove that the Mayor connived with Russell, or that the article does not come under the heading of libel.

Mr. Mills—At the beginning of this year Mr. D. W. Higgins ran against John Grant for the position of Mayor. Mr. Higgins was defeated and retired gracefully from the contest. He was not heard of since. Since that time the *Colonist* has been indecently personal when referring to Mr. Grant. The Mayor cannot always turn round and kick the dog at his heels. The letter which brought on this case says the questions therein are pertinent and must be answered. Mr. Grant is here today to answer the questions. The publication of that letter has a tendency to injure the plaintiff. Counsel then read the article. He said it would be necessary to prove that Russell has gone, who he was, and where he has gone; also to ask them to read the article and give their opinion on the meaning of the wording therein.

Mayor Grant was called and said the information was correct.

Richard Elliot, sworn—Am clerk to Mr. Walls, barrister; purchased a *Colonist* newspaper, produced marked A, from the clerk behind the counter; the paper is published every day except Monday, by Ellis & Sargison; the newspaper is dated 3rd Oct. 1888; it contains the libel complained of in a letter signed "Taxpayer."

Mr. Mills asked the court for liberty to examine Mr. R. P. Rithet and Mr. Wilson, as to their opinion of the libel complained of, as they were detained from their business. Mr. Mills quoted authorities on the subject.

Mr. R. P. Rithet was sworn and examined by Mr. Mills—I am a merchant; the letter in the *Colonist* newspaper handed to me is signed "Taxpayer," which I have read. Know Thos. Russel, who was Treasurer of the city of Victoria; was Mayor in 1885; understand the letter to refer to more than one person; but in witness' judgment it refers to the present Mayor, Mr. John Grant; would not like to undertake to say all that the letter meant, but understand it to mean, in my opinion, that Mr. Grant was interested in the defalcations of the Treasurer, Thos. Russell.

Mr. Davie objected to this mode of proceeding.

Cross-examined by Mr. Davie—I know Mr. Russell's hand writing.

Mr. Davie was qestioning Mr. Rithet regarding the defalcations in Mr. Russell's books when Mr. Mills objected and said he wished to know why Mr. Davie asked the questions.

His Honor.—I suppose he wishes to show that the Mayor knew about the defalcations before the escape of the treasurer.

Mr. Davie—I suppose the prosecution wish to stop us from bringing in the truth as evidence. The prosecution says the greater the truth the greater the libel. They wish to stop the defense by shutting their mouth. He did not expect that the Mayor of the city would shirk an investigation, and he did not come prepared to argue the matter.

Mr. Mills said the plaintiff after consultation with his counsel decided to keep the defence within legal bounds. They had certain rights and could not overstep them. The case was then adjourned until Thursday next at the request of Mr. Davie.

NEW WESTMINSTER.

A Fashionable Wedding—Preparing for Moody—Shooting, &c.

Special to The Times.]

New Westminster, Oct. 22—The bark Nanaimo cleared on Saturday afternoon with a cargo of 450,000 feet of lumber for Melbourne, Australia.

This morning, at Holy Trinity Church, Miss Annie Wilson Homer, third daugh- of the late J. R. Homer, M. P., was married to Mr. Rickman, accountant of the R. C. P. mills. The ceremony was performed by Ven. Archdeacon Woods, and was witnessed by a large concourse of people.

The congregations of the Evangelical churches in this city will hold union meetings on Thursday, Friday and Saturday next to invoke a Divine blessing on the labors of D. L. Moody, the evangelist, who is expected to arrive here the beginning of next week. The choirs of the different churches meet together on Wedneday evening to practice for his meetings.

The annual shooting match of the New Westminster Rifle Association took place at Brownsville on Saturday. The following was the grand aggregate of the winners' scores: First, A. F. Cotton, 84; second, W. McColl, 80. Bull's eye prize: A. F. Cotton and C. M. McNaghton tied with six each. Fewest misses prize: W. McCull and H. Chamberlain.

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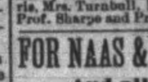

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